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WASHINGTON, D.C., MAR. 4 -- The National Civil Service League today announced its ten Career Service Award Winners for 1963. This award is given each year by the League to ten career Civil Servants who have made outstanding contributions to the Federal Government in their fields of endeavor.

Founded in 1881, a few weeks after the assassination of President Garfield by a disgruntled office seeker, the League had a major part in drafting the Pendleton Act of 1883, which established the Federal Civil Service System. Four Presidents of the United States have served on the League's Board -- Grover Cleveland, Woodrow Wilson, Theodore Roosevelt, and William Howard Taft. The League is the only organization of private citizens entirely devoted to improving the Federal Career Civil Service.

The ten award winners are:

Graeme C. Bannerman, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense (Procurement). Born in Washington, D.C., Mr. Bannerman is charged with supervising annual defense procurement amounting to \$25 billion. He has made countless contributions to the economy and efficiency of defense procurement.

Captain Hewlett R. Bishop, Atlantic Coast Director, Maritime Administration, Department of Commerce. A native of Long Island, New York, Captain Bishop, in charge of the largest field division of the Maritime Administration, rose from ordinary seaman to his present responsibilities. He has contributed to many far-seeing measures for maritime speed and safety.

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August C. Hahn, Deputy Assistant Postmaster General. Mr. Hahn, originally from Beaumont, Texas, has risen through the Postal Service from letter carrier to his present high career post. He has a remarkable record of contributions to the improvement of our postal service.

Dr. Gregory K. Hartmann, Technical Director, U.S. Naval Ordnance Laboratory. Educated in his native Buffalo, New York, California Institute of Technology, and Oxford, Dr. Hartmann has been responsible for many important technical surveys and advances in the field of weapons technologies.

Arthur C. Lundahl, Assistant Director for Photographic Intelligence, Central Intelligence Agency. Born and educated in his home city of Chicago and in Zurich, Switzerland, Mr. Lundahl is perhaps the most distinguished authority in the United States on photographic intelligence.

Nicholas J. Oganovic, Deputy Executive Director, United States Civil Service Commission. Mr. Oganovic, whose mother still lives in Chisholm, Minnesota, started his outstanding career in field offices of the Civil Service Commission. He has since become Deputy Executive Director where he has been responsible for many improvements in the career Civil Service, such as the college recruitment program.

Dr. Hildrus A. Poindexter, Chief Public Health Advisor, Agency for International Development. Dr. Poindexter, a Washingtonian, is a career public health advisor. He has served all over the world, training hundreds, or even thousands, of top public health people for work in the so-called "underdeveloped nations."

James J. Rowley, Chief, United States Secret Service, Department of the Treasury. After leaving his native New York City, Mr. Rowley joined the Secret Service where he was, for 15 years, charged with the protection and safety of three Presidents of the United States. He is now in charge of the entire Secret Service, an outstanding security bureau within the Federal Government.

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Frank A. Taylor, Director, U. S. National Museum, Smithsonian Institution.

Another Washingtonian, Mr. Taylor is a life-time employee of the Smithsonian Institution, and is now Director of the U.S. National Museum, the largest museum in the world.

William H. Weathersby, Country Public Affairs Officer, India, United States Information Service. Born in Memphis, Tennessee, Mr. Weathersby is unlike most of the other award winners, because he did not enter the career service in his youth; yet, he has risen rapidly to Country Public Affairs Officer in what the USIA Director calls the agency's "largest and most important operation abroad."

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Detailed biographies of the award winners are attached.

The winners will be honored at a dinner at the Sheraton-Park Hotel, Washington, D.C., on March 26, 1963.

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ARTHUR CHARLES LUNDAHL

Assistant Director for Photographic Intelligence
 The Central Intelligence Agency, Washington 25, D.C.

Recipient of One of the 10 Career Service Awards in 1963
 of The National Civil Service League

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Residence:

Born:

Wife:

Children:

Mr. Lundahl and Mary Emily Hvid were married in Chicago, Illinois, on 27 December 1944. Mrs. Lundahl, before her marriage, was a dietitian at the University of Chicago. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hvid, resided at 631 Elmwood Street, Wilmette, Illinois. Her father was born in Denmark; her mother, Hazel Phoebe Cook Hvid, was born in Battle Creek, Michigan, and now lives in Bethesda, Maryland.

Arthur Lundahl's father is Carl August Lundahl, born in Lockport, Illinois. He lived at 6922 South Green Street, Chicago, Illinois, and was an employee of the Internal Revenue Service. He had served in the United States Army both in the United States and in the Philippines. Mr. Lundahl's mother was Lillian Frances Schweizer Lundahl, born in Chicago, Illinois. Both parents are living in Chicago.

Arthur Charles Lundahl attended the Wentworth Elementary School in Chicago, Illinois, and was graduated in 1929. He was graduated from Tilden Technical High School, Chicago, Illinois, in 1933. He received his Bachelor of Science degree at the University of Chicago in 1939 and his Master of Science degree in 1942. He majored in geology and did post-graduate work at the University of Chicago for his Ph.D., specializing in geology, chemistry, and physics. He attended the Eidgen Technical Hochschule, Zurich, Switzerland, in 1948.

He served in the U.S. Navy on active duty as a Lieutenant Commander from 23 November 1942 to 8 April 1946. He is a Naval reserve officer, and holds the rank of Captain, USNR.

He is a member of the American Society of Photogrammetry, Washington, D.C., and was President of that Society in 1954-1955. Captain Lundahl is a member of the Cosmos Club of Washington, D.C. He is also a member of Sigma Xi, Kappa Epsilon Pi, and was a University of Chicago Fellow and instructor.

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Mr. Lundahl has been in the service of the United States Government for 20 years, the last 10 of them with the Central Intelligence Agency, [REDACTED]

In World War II, in his service with the U.S. Navy, he was a photographic intelligence specialist. He was awarded the Navy Commendation Medal by Admiral Nimitz for outstanding service in the 1943 North Pacific Campaign. After release from active duty in 1946, he joined the staff of the U.S. Navy Photographic Center as Chief of the Photogrammetry Division.

Mr. Lundahl today is the United States Government's principal adviser on photographic intelligence matters. He has been concerned with important problems affecting national security, including the Cuban Crisis and other critical actions. 1963

In addition to his specialty, regarding which he has written and lectured, Mr. Lundahl is interested in swimming, golf, badminton, baseball and archery. He is a member of the Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church of D.C., and works with Cub Scouts, P-TA, and Civil Defense.

Mr. Lundahl is described by his associates as not only outstanding in technical competence, but highly cooperative and selfless in his dedication to national security. He has been described as an inspired leader who has made major contributions to the science of photographic intelligence.

Mr. Lundahl is the third CIA official to receive one of the Career Service Awards of the National Civil Service League. Lyman B. Kirkpatrick, the Executive Director of CIA, received the first in 1960; and Sherman Kent, Assistant Director for National Estimates, CIA, received the award in 1961. Mr. Kirkpatrick was born in Rochester, New York. Mr. Kent was born in Chicago, Illinois.

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NATIONAL CIVIL SERVICE LEAGUE

1963 CAREER SERVICE AWARD WINNER

LUNDAHL, ARTHUR CHARLES - - - Assistant Director for Photographic Intelligence,
Central Intelligence Agency STATOTHR

Residence: [REDACTED]

Date and Place of Birth: [REDACTED]

Length of Government Service: 20 years

Marital Status: Married, 2 children (one daughter, one son)

Education: 1934-42 University of Chicago
1948 Eidgen Techn Hochschule, Zurich, Switzerland
1962 Brookings Institute, Washington, D.C.

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Mr. Lundahl has been considered as the top photographic intelligence officer in the United States Government and, as such, he has been involved in the most important photographic problems affecting national security, including the Cuban crisis.

During World War II he served in the Navy's Photographic Intelligence Center, and is given great credit for the new and unique types of photography upon which our current intelligence efforts are so dependent. He has been called upon to deliver critically important briefings to senior policy officials concerned with the national security. His duties extend to obtaining the cooperation of all branches of the Government involved in the exploitation of photography for intelligence purposes.

He is active in professional, civic and community activities.

In nominating him, CIA Director, John A. McCone, stated:

"Mr. Lundahl has made major contributions to the science of photographic intelligence and has had a leading role in the development of an interagency photographic intelligence organization which is credited with accomplishments of great national significance."

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NEWS RELEASE

WASHINGTON, D.C., MAR 27--Ten outstanding career Federal employees were honored here last night by the National Civil Service League for their major contributions to the nation through government service.

The ten men were individually cited at the League's Ninth Annual Career Service Awards Dinner "in recognition of a distinguished career in the United States Government which has exemplified in an outstanding manner the highest characteristics of public service." The award winners are:

Graeme C. Bannerman, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Procurement), Department of Defense, for his countless contributions to the economy and efficiency of defense procurement.

Captain Hewlett R. Bishop, Atlantic Coast Director, Maritime Administration, Department of Commerce, for the development of many far-seeing measures for maritime speed, efficiency, and safety.

August C. Hahn, Deputy Assistant Postmaster General, for his remarkable record of contributions to the improvement of the postal service.

Dr. Gregory K. Hartmann, Technical Director, U.S. Naval Ordnance Laboratory, Department of the Navy, for his accomplishments in the science and techniques of weapon development.

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Arthur C. Lundahl, Assistant Director for Photographic Intelligence, Central Intelligence Agency, for his major contributions to America's intelligence resources.

Nicholas J. Oganovic, Deputy Executive Director, United States Civil Service Commission, for developing and instituting many significant improvements in the career Civil Service.

Dr. Hildrus A. Poindexter, Chief Public Health Advisor, Agency for International Development, for his important contributions to medical research and public health, especially in the so-called "underdeveloped nations."

James J. Rowley, Chief, United States Secret Service, Department of the Treasury, for his development of and dedication to the security measures and procedures necessary to fulfill the vital responsibilities of the Secret Service.

Frank A. Taylor, Director, U. S. National Museum, Smithsonian Institution, for his outstanding achievements in developing and improving our national museums.

William H. Weathersby, Country Public Affairs Officer, India, United States Information Agency, for his major contributions to the achievement of American informational objectives in the Near and Middle East.

The National Civil Service League is the only organization of private citizens entirely devoted to improving the Federal Career Service. It was founded in 1881 and played a major role in drafting the Pendleton Act of 1883 establishing the Federal Civil Service System. Four Presidents of the United States have served on the League's Board -- Grover Cleveland, Woodrow Wilson, Theodore Roosevelt, and William Howard Taft.

A fact sheet containing additional data on the award winners is attached.

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FACT SHEET

WINNERS OF NINTH ANNUAL CAREER SERVICE AWARDS
NATIONAL CIVIL SERVICE LEAGUE

GRAEME C. BANNERMAN -- Deputy Assistant Secretary (Procurement), Department of Defense.

Residence - 3506 T Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Date & Place of Birth - April 1, 1910; Washington, D. C.

Length of Government Service - 26 years

League Citation -

"Graeme C. Bannerman oversees procurement activities of the Department of Defense involving approximately \$25 billion annually -- some 30 percent of the total Federal budget. In carrying out his duties, he has achieved national stature as a recognized authority on Defense procurement policy, systems, and practices. Through Mr. Bannerman's leadership, the procurement elements of the Armed Services have been drawn into a cooperative and cohesive group thus paving the way for significant improvements in purchasing policy and techniques and the consequent saving of millions of dollars in Defense appropriations."

CAPTAIN HEWLETT R. BISHOP -- Atlantic Coast Director, Maritime Administration, U. S. Department of Commerce.

Residence - 188 North Long Beach Avenue, Freeport, New York

Date & Place of Birth - February 13, 1909; Patchogue, L.I., New York

Length of Government Service - 28½ years

League Citation -

"Captain Hewlett R. Bishop is responsible for the effective management of all Maritime Administration programs and operations in the large and complex Atlantic Coast District. During World War II he conceived and developed several extremely effective and widely adopted cargo-loading innovations that permitted maximum utilization of our shipping resources. He has made important contributions to the safety of ships at sea and in port. He was instrumental in providing the efficient and rapid reactivation of ships from the Reserve Fleet when vitally needed during the Korean emergency. Captain Bishop has also provided strong leadership in organizations dedicated to achieving cooperation and coordination of Government and industrial efforts toward a stronger public service."

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AUGUST C. HAHN -- Deputy Assistant Postmaster General for Field Operations,

Post Office Department.

Residence - 1368 Fourth Street, S. W., Washington 24, D. C.

Date & Place of Birth - August 17, 1907; Beaumont, Texas

Length of Government Service - 39 years

League Citation -

"August C. Hahn, in carrying out his responsibility for functional direction of post office operations and activities - including the collection, distribution and delivery of mail - has demonstrated distinguished leadership and expert technical knowledge in improving postal management and administration. He has played a key role in the Department's modernization and decentralization program. He has provided gifted direction to the implementation of the Accelerated Business Collection and Delivery program, and to the strengthening of local management skills in Post Offices throughout the Nation. Mr. Hahn's imaginative leadership has been instrumental in the development of postal innovations which have permitted budgetary savings of \$20 million in one year alone."

DR. GREGORY K. HARTMANN -- Technical Director, U. S. Naval Ordnance Laboratory,

Department of the Navy.

Residence - 10701 Keswick Street, Garrett Park, Maryland

Date & Place of Birth - May 25, 1911; Buffalo, New York

Length of Government Service - 21 years

League Citation -

"Dr. Gregory K. Hartmann has provided leadership, both as a scientist and as an administrator, in accomplishing scientific work of the most advanced nature and vital significance for the Army, Navy, Air Force, Atomic Energy Commission, and other government agencies. He pioneered in the study of nuclear-weapon effects and has been responsible for the work of scientific groups at several nuclear test operations. His brilliant work and tireless efforts have led to immeasurable contributions in the field of underwater-explosives research. As the first Chairman of the Undersea Warfare Research and Development Planning Council, Dr. Hartmann played an important role in the successful development of our vital Polaris weapons system."

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ARTHUR C. LUNDAHL -- Assistant Director for Photographic Intelligence,
Central Intelligence Agency.

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Residence - [REDACTED]

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Date & Place of Birth - [REDACTED]

Length of Government Service - 20 years

League Citation -

"Arthur C. Lundahl serves as the government's highest photographic-intelligence officer and has, consequently, been intimately involved in the most important problems affecting national security. Over the course of the last ten years, he has organized and developed our photographic intelligence system thus bringing about a significant advance in America's intelligence resources. Through his extensive experience and his appreciation of national strategic problems, Mr. Lundahl has developed means to insure the efficient exploitation of new and unique types of photography of the greatest importance and the highest priority."

NICHOLAS J. OGANOVIC -- Deputy Executive Director, U. S. Civil Service Commission

Residence - 2521 N. Quebec Street, Arlington, Virginia

Date & Place of Birth - December 22, 1912; Chisholm, Minnesota

Length of Government Service - 22 years

League Citation -

"Nicholas J. Oganovic has made an outstanding contribution to better public service through his forceful and imaginative administration of Civil Service Commission activities, particularly in its field operations. Primarily through his efforts, major reorganizations have been accomplished creating new, more effective patterns of service and having significant impact on Federal personnel management. Especially notable is his concept of "on the spot" service through assignment of Civil Service representatives to more than 50 metropolitan centers outside the Commission's regional office cities. Mr. Oganovic was responsible for the administrative measures establishing the Federal Executive Boards to improve the efficiency and economy of Government field operations and has been prominently identified with the Government's "quest for quality" in recruiting. He has also won recognition for the new vitality he brought to the program for selective placement of the handicapped in Government service."

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DR. HILDRUS A. POINDEXTER -- Chief Public Health Advisor, Agency for International Development

Residence - 513-23rd Place, N. E., Washington, D. C.

Date & Place of Birth - May 10, 1901; Memphis, Tennessee

Length of Government Service - 31 years

League Citation -

"Dr. Hildrus A. Poindexter, scholar, teacher, healer, administrator, in 31 years of government service, has made outstanding contributions to medical research and public health both in the United States and abroad. His foreign-duty assignments have taken him to Liberia, Vietnam, Laos, Surinam, Iraq, Libya, and he is currently serving in Sierra Leone. His efforts have provided and encouraged training for doctors, dentists, pharmacists and nurses in this country and for laboratory technicians and nurses now holding positions of major responsibility in Liberia, Vietnam, and Laos. Dr. Poindexter directed the public-health measures associated with the evacuation of over 600,000 Vietnamese from North Vietnam when the Communists overran the country. His leadership has been instrumental in the adoption of public-health legislation by many of the countries in which he has served."

JAMES J. ROWLEY - Chief, United States Secret Service, Department of the Treasury

Residence - 3501 Rittenhouse Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Date & Place of Birth - October 14, 1908; Bronx, New York

Length of Government Service - 25 years

League Citation -

"James J. Rowley was, for 15 years prior to his selection as Chief of the Service, Special Agent in charge of the White House detail and was personally responsible for establishing, developing, and maintaining security techniques and procedures necessary to assure the protection of the First Families of the Nation. During the period of his responsibility several serious attempts were made to harm the First Family; yet none was successful. Since becoming Chief he has assumed still greater responsibilities in instituting protective planning and research, developing new methods for the investigation and detection of counterfeiting activities, and dealing with other important Secret Service assignments."

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FRANK A. TAYLOR - Director, United States National Museum, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C.

Residence - 6606 - 32nd Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Length of Government Service - 40 years

Date & Place of Birth - March 25, 1903; Washington, D. C.

League Citation -

"Frank A. Taylor currently bears what may well be the heaviest responsibility of any museum official in the world. Among his achievements are the planning, organization, and administration of a highly successful program of exhibit modernization throughout the Smithsonian and the initiation of a vital new program of research and scholarly publication within the Museum of History and Technology. In addition to this work, he is responsible for the general administration of a museum that has important departments of anthropology, zoology, botany, geology, the history of science and technology, the cultural history of the United States, and Armed Forces history. Possibly his greatest contribution has been in his leadership in the planning and development of the new \$36-million Museum of History and Technology of the Smithsonian Institution."

WILLIAM H. WEATHERSBY - Country Public Affairs Officer, India, United States Information Agency.

Residence - 200 - 32nd Avenue, Hattiesburg, Mississippi

Date & Place of Birth - November 30, 1914; Clinton, Mississippi

Length of Service - 12 years

League Citation -

"William H. Weathersby currently directs a critically important and USIA's largest operation abroad. He serves in a dual role as public-affairs advisor to the Ambassador and the Embassy and as operational chief of a large information and cultural program throughout India. In addition to the major contribution he has made to the attainment of American informational objectives in the Near and Middle East, his abilities have made a strong impact on the management and operation of the Agency itself. As Personnel Director, Mr. Weathersby has developed a Foreign Service Career System, revised the Agency's examination system, improved and accelerated the recruiting process, and instituted a number of other significant improvements in personnel management and policy."

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AWARDS TO 10 CAREERISTS

Man Who Unmasked Cuba Missiles Named

The man who first discovered the Soviet missile build-up in Cuba today was selected by the National Civil Service League as one of its 10 Career Service Award winners for 1963.

He is Arthur C. Lundahl, 47, assistant director of Central Intelligence for photographic interpretation.

Mr. Lundahl's office first received the famous U-2 photos taken over Cuba on October 14. Late that night, he and his staff came to a definite determination that the Soviet Union was installing ballistic missiles on the island. He informed John A. McCone, director of Central Intelligence, who was out of town, and Mr. McCone's deputy and the Cuban crisis was on.

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20 Years With Government

Mr. Lundahl is a graduate of the University of Chicago and has 20 years Government service, in uniform and out. During World War II he served in the Navy and in 1945 became associated with the Navy Photographic Interpretation Center at Anacostia. He was chief of the PIC photogrammetry division and assistant chief engineer until 1953, when he was promoted to CIA.

The photo interpretation ex-

pert recently was selected for promotion to captain in the United States Naval Reserve.

He lives at 4410 Chestnut street, Bethesda, Md., with his wife and two children, Ann Christine, 15, and Robert Dana, 10.

Mr. Lundahl and the other winners will be honored at a dinner at the Sheraton-Park Hotel on March 26. The others are:

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Public Health Aide

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